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# 10 SERVICEMEN KILLED IN AIRLINER CRASH

## Court Upholds Security Law, Rules Communists In U.S. Soviet Controlled

**WASHINGTON** — The U. S. Court of Appeals by a 2-to-1 vote today upheld the constitutionality of the 1950 Internal Security Law clamping tight controls on the Communist Party, its members, and its front organizations.

Ruling that the party is dominated and controlled by the Soviet Union, the court majority approved an order issued by the government's Subversive Activities Control Board last year.

The order requires the Communist Party to register with the Justice Department, listing all of its officers, members, and financial transactions.

The Communist Party is expected to appeal the case to the Supreme Court. If it does, the registration order will not become effective until the high tribunal acts.

**Says Act Unconstitutional**

Judges E. Barrett Prettyman and John A. Danaher signed the majority opinion. Judge David L.

## About Town And Country

By TIMOTHEUS T.

CHRISTMAS is nearly with us and are we too busy with the frills to make room for its real meaning and intent?

I was reading with interest in the December issue of Sunshine Magazine a little article titled "The Little Inn That Was Too Busy." It is too fine to let go by. Here it is:

## Charge Four Youths with County Thefts

In Bethlehem, in the year A. D. 1, there was a little inn, well kept and carefully tended. To its owner, and to the people of the town, it was an important inn, but to the world outside it meant nothing—nothing at all.

Fate could have made that inn the most famous inn in history, small and humble as it was. Its name could have been greater than the names of the kingdoms, all the castles, all the cities and cathedrals in the world.

But—the little inn was too busy! When Joseph and Mary knocked at its door, the inn was full. Rich men were within its doors; money was flowing freely; the keeper was busy; the maids were busy; the inn was busy—to busy for the greatest thing that ever happened to it; too busy to open its doors to the greatest event in all of history; too busy, even, to place its own name among the immortals.

Great and successful men are never too busy with the little things to listen to the big things in the world. Sometimes it is an idea; sometimes an ideal.

"Abe Lincoln was a busy lad. He had wood to cut and fences to mend, work that kept him busy the whole of the day. But he was not too busy to work at his sums and his figures and his writings, long after the rest of the family had gone to bed. No, he was not too busy to prepare himself for one of the biggest jobs in the world.

"Orville and Wilbur Wright were busy. They had jobs, and they had work which had to be done. But they also had an idea. And they did not rest until they had made that idea master of the air.

"David Lloyd George grew up in an obscure Welsh village. His days were filled with the toil and sweat of making a living. He was busy—but not too busy to study his people, and study his country, until his knowledge placed him at the helm of the British Empire.

"Schumann-Heinck was busy. She had eight children and a husband and a household. But she was not too busy to make herself a most beloved singer.

"Paderewski was busy. As a great man of Poland, his days were overflowing with important affairs of state. But he was not too busy to enthrall the whole world with the greatness of his music.

"Yes, the little inn of Bethlehem was busy—too busy with its wining and its dining—too busy with the clinking of its kettles and its mugs—too busy to open its doors to all the greatness that was knocking there.

"Are we too busy with the petty things to make room for the big and lasting things of the world? How many of us live in that little inn?"

**MINES**

Sahara everything idle. Peabody 43 idle. Blue Bird 6 works. Carmac idle.

**Forecast 16 Traffic Deaths in Illinois**

CHICAGO — The Chicago Motor Club today forecast 16 traffic deaths in Illinois over the Christmas weekend.

The club predicted two of the deaths would occur in Chicago and a total of four in Cook county.

Charles M. Hayes, club president, urged pedestrians and drivers to "cheat" the experts' predictions by showing the kind of consideration and concern for each other that is symbolized by the Christmas spirit.

In Springfield, State Police Supt. Phil M. Brown asked motorists to keep the spirit of Christmas in their driving habits.

Installing officer will be Frank Gladson.

**Galatia Masons to Install Officers**

The Galatia Masonic Lodge No. 684 A. F. and A. M. will hold installation of officers Monday, Dec. 27, at 7 p. m.

To be installed are John Boyett, master; Paul Droit, senior warden; Allie Gollifer, junior warden; Cecil Pulliam, treasurer; Hal Ryan, secretary; Raymond "Pete" Gardner, senior deacon; Billie Oglesby, junior deacon; Wiley Ryman, chaplain; Webb Kimmel, marshal; Robert Peyton, senior steward; Arthur Hill, junior steward; Noble Williams, tyler.

Awarding of attendance prizes completed the program.

**Graveside Service Held for Infant**

A graveside service was held at 11 a. m. today at the Walnut Grove cemetery for the infant son of Charles L. and Reba Randolph Threet, 927 West Barnett. The baby lived only three hours following its birth yesterday at noon at the Harrisburg hospital.

Rev. Jay Evets officiated. The Gibbons funeral home was in charge.

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The plane, operated by a five-man civilian crew, flew only about 300 miles on its cross-country trip and was approaching Pittsburgh when the pilot radioed the Allegheny County Airport tower "I'm out of gas."

**Survivors Are Hospitalized**

All but 10 of the 28 men aboard either swam through the icy cold water to the river bank or were pulled out by their buddies and civilian rescuers.

The 18 survivors were taken to McKeesport, Pa., hospital where they were reported suffering mainly cuts and bruises and from exposure to the water and near-zero temperatures.

Police and firemen began dragging operations for the bodies of the 10 missing men, nine servicemen and pilot Harold Poe. Divers and river barge and tug men worked all night to raise the fuselage, which was virtually intact despite its crushing pancake smash into the water in mid-stream, 200 feet off shore.

A barge derrick hoisted out the wreckage at about 8 a. m. No bodies were found in the plane.

The Civil Aeronautics Board opened an immediate investigation along with local, county, and state officials.

**Plane A Converted C47**

William Burton, Civil Aeronautics Authority safety agent at Greater Pittsburgh Airport, said the plane was a C47 converted into a DC3 and accommodates 26 passengers.

The plane came down at about 11 p. m., about 12 miles upstream from Pittsburgh. The craft began to settle in the water almost immediately but all the men apparently got out before it submerged less than 30 minutes later.

The plane, chartered by the Army from the Johnson Flying Service of Missoula, Mont., took off from Newark, N. J., and was carrying the servicemen to Ft. Carson, Colo., Ft. Lewis, Wash., and Ft. Ord, Calif.

The servicemen had returned from Europe late Wednesday, reported to Camp Kilmer, N. J., and then boarded the plane at Newark for the trip west. They were to have received furloughs at their destinations so they could spend Christmas with their families.

All the missing soldiers were believed to live on the West Coast.

**Evergreen Garden Club Presents Awards For Home Decorations**

The Evergreen Garden club again this year presented awards to persons having the most outstanding and colorful window Christmas decorations on their homes.

First prize went to Mrs. H. V. McDaniel, second to Mrs. Charles Farrar, and an honorable mention to Mrs. Troy Hart.

Judges were Mrs. B. E. Montgomery, Mrs. D. A. Lehman and Mrs. T. Y. Gregg.

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**BIBLE: THOUGHT FOR TODAY**  
 In the world ye shall have tribulations: but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world. — John 16:33.

By faith we too, can overcome. We can do what we think we can do.

#### A Balanced Budget

**Editorial — BY BRUCE BLOSSAT**  
 A balanced federal budget is an objective any purposeful government should be eager to proclaim, and to pursue with energy. But, in this age of peril, even at best the goal is extremely difficult to achieve.

The Eisenhower administration set this aim from the start, but it has not yet been able to attain it. In the President's first year, the budget showed a \$3 billion deficit. In the current fiscal year, prospects are for a deficit close to \$4.7 billion.

And now Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey says there is no hope of bringing income and outgo into balance for the year which will begin next July 1. He doubts that the government can do more than hold the deficit somewhere below \$3 billion.

This performance, measured against GOP campaign promises of 1952, perhaps will give the Democrats something to taunt their opponents with. Nevertheless, the achievement is considerable when placed beside the last complete budget of the Truman regime, which showed a deficit of \$9.5 billion.

Defense and foreign aid spending, as always, form the hard nut that not even the most ambitious budget-balancer can crack. It is a question how much more these outlays could be reduced without gravely impairing the national security.

Indeed, some pretty powerful arguments are advanced for spending bigger sums than we do in this field. Asia is in pressing need of economic help. In the military sphere, Russia is believed well on the way to having enough nuclear weapons and bombers to deliver crushing blows against the United States.

Ironically, some of the Democrats who will be chiding the GOP on its budget-balancing promises are strongly convinced we should now be spending more.

But this is certainly not the vital point — whether the Administration's critics are consistent or not. What would seem to be important is that we do not ever make a balanced budget some sort of magic goal in itself.

We are in tense struggle for survival. It is the first business of this or any other administration to do all possible to assure our survival. To put a fixed price on the effort we will make — to say we will spend no more than a stated sum — is to try for a sort of bargain-counter freedom.

Of course we do not wish to be bled white in this country. But neither do we want to be caught in the counting house, squinting at a balance sheet, while free nations fall to communism and Russia stands poised with enough deliverable atomic might to smash liberty in its strongest bastion — the United States.

#### Sulphur Springs

Sulphur Springs church put on a nice Christmas program Sunday night with a lovely tree and treat for the Sunday school pupils. Several visitors were present and old Santa delivered a number of presents.

The church gave their pastor an electric mixer.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Church and Mr. and Mrs. John Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hathaway Friday night and made candy.

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#### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



#### Grim Outlook



#### By Merrill Blosser



#### Somerset

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#### Benson to Lift Ban on Imports Of Mexican Cattle

WASHINGTON — Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson has reaffirmed plans to declare Mexico free of foot-and-mouth disease on Dec. 31.

The action will open the border to imports of Mexican cattle and livestock products.

Imports of livestock and live-stock products from Mexico have been barred, as required by law, since May, 1953, when the disease cropped up in Vera Cruz.

The border, previously closed from 1947 to September, 1952, because of the presence of the highly contagious disease had been opened only eight months before the outbreak last year.

Dresser drawers can be cleaned easily if they're coated, early in the game, with a thin solution of fresh white shellac. Put on two coats and you can dust with ease instead of scrubbing.

## The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

BY DREW PEARSON



DREW PEARSON Says: Sam Rayburn And Ike Agree On At Least One Thing: "No Birthday Oratory"; Michigan's McCarthyite Claims Government Is Riddled With Communists; The Man Who Told Him So Was Fired By Ike.

WASHINGTON — At his recent meeting with congressional chiefs President Eisenhower was trying to decide whether to deliver his State of the Union message to Congress on the 6th or 7th of January.

"Either day suits me okay, but I'll be glad to make it on the 6th if you want me to," Ike told the leaders.

"I propose a toast to Adlai Stevenson."

Every delegate rose, paid tribute to Stevenson.

After that Miller was fired.

#### UNCONTROLLABLE FRENCH

Though it's been kept very hush-hush, French Premier Mendes-France has made a startling proposal that the United States agree to stop all production of atomic and hydrogen bombs.

Mendes-France made his proposal during secret meetings of the Atlantic Pact Council which began last week, and as a result, Secretary of State Dulles is furious. For this is the same fantastic proposal Mendes-France made secretly to Dulles when he visited Washington recently.

Inside fact is that Mendes-France wanted to make a speech before the United Nations about his plan for stopping H-bomb production, but Dulles finally was able to talk him out of it. Now the unpredictable Frenchman has renewed the whole idea.

Dulles and Gen. Al Gruenther, both in Paris for the talks, believe the plan is completely cockeyed for this reason: Russia might very well agree to stop production, but she would never allow an inspection team inside the Soviet Union to see whether the Kremlin was living

up to the agreement.

#### WASHINGTON PIPELINE

The "king-pin" agent who Spencer Miller, Jr., says was planted in government agencies is supposed to be Jay Lovestone, one of the most effective workers against communism in the labor movement. Lovestone, once a Communist, renounced it long ago, has been an adviser to Dave Dubinsky, strong anti-Communist president of the International Ladies Garment Workers. Both men helped the CIA stop communism abroad in places where labor could do more than government.

Newly elected Sen. Clifford Case of New Jersey will get top-drawer preference from Ike on New Jersey job appointments. An early Ike-man, Case is one of Eisenhower's favorites. The Kremlin is building up Poland as the cornerstone of the European sat-

elite "defense alliance."

The commander of the unified satellite armies is expected to be Polish-born Soviet Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky.

Scientists believe

they have found an antidote to the deadly, odorless nerve gases.

U. S. intelligence reports grimly warn that Thailand, the next country on the road to aggression, will fall to the Reds within 18 months. The situation is so threatening that Secretary of State Dulles will personally fly to Thailand in February.

#### BENSON'S DELAY

The secretary of agriculture has finally announced support prices on so-called feed grains — barley, oats, rye, and grain sorghums — at 70 per cent of parity.

This is an announcement usually made before planting time so farmers can know how much they will be getting for their crops. No farmer can plan his crop schedule unless he has some idea of what supports will be. But Benson held up the announcement this year until after crops were planted—and until after the elections.

His excuse was that he wanted

to see what drought conditions

would be like, though agriculture experts say he doesn't have one extra bit more information now than he did before the elections.

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#### Liberace Denies Romance Cause Of Heart Strain

HOLLYWOOD (UPI) — Piano idol

Liberace, suffering a "mild heart strain" from overwork, denied his heart troubles resulted from romance.

The piano star with the gleaming smile blew out his candles and crawled into his elaborate, king-size bed Wednesday on orders from his personal physician, Dr. Joseph L. Marx. He said he was retiring "temporarily."

Dr. Marx said the curly-haired

musician's condition was "neither critical nor serious," but instructed

Liberace to remain secluded in bed,

without visitors, until Feb. 1.

George, Liberace's brother who

never talks when he appears with the pianist on shows, broke his silence to say that his famed brother's ailment had been coming on for some time.

"He got to the place where he

breathe heavily when he played," George said.

Dr. Marx said an electrocardiograph examination disclosed the pianist also has too much fat around his heart. He placed Liberace on a rigid protein diet, prohibiting him to eat sweets or fats.

Liberace's mother, who is caring

for him as he snuggles underneath

a fancy bedspread embroidered

with a huge black "L," proclaimed

her son's heart was hurt only by

his piano playing, not by any girl friends.

He has been giving so many

concerts, working and traveling so

much without a vacation, Mrs. Frances Liberace said. "It has

nothing to do with Joanne Rio."

Miss Rio, who was jilted by the

nearly-toothed pianist after she

wrote a series of newspaper articles

on their love, also said she did

not believe Liberace was love sick.

"My aunt went over to see him

yesterday, but I haven't seen him

or talked to him," she said. "I feel

very badly about his illness. I sent

him a Christmas card, but I haven't

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## Marriage Licenses

Denzil Towle, 20, and Martha Pryor, 19, both of Eldorado  
Terrill Wayne Younger, 18, Eldorado, and Leona Ruth Farmer, 17, Raleigh  
Bill Miller, 18, Eldorado, and Debra Tife, 18, Junction  
Edward Brazier, 33, and Geneva Hobbs, 35, both of Eldorado  
James L. Mercer, 22, and Patricia May Hart, 20, both of Owenses, Ky.  
Willie Boyd Jackson, 53, and Mabel Conel, 50, both of Harrisburg.

## Report Object Falling from Sky; Fail to Find Trace

LAWRENCEVILLE, Ill. — Authorities said today at least 15 persons reported seeing an object that looked like an airplane fall from the sky Wednesday but searching parties failed to find any trace of a plane.

Sheriff Carlos Whipkey said the first report came about noon from Johnny Doss, Bridgeport. Doss said he and his wife saw an object that "looked like a plane" spinning and trailing smoke as it fell toward the earth near Chauncey. Searchers in planes flew over the area and failed to find any wreckage.

State Patrolman Howard Cleff said he had reports from 15 persons who said they saw an object fall from the sky. Cleff said he is convinced something fell to earth but he doesn't know what it was.

## Happy Is The Day When Backache Goes Away . . .

Nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headache, fatigue, all due to slow-down of kidney function. Excellent, good kidney function is very important to good health. When some everyday condition, such as stress and strain, causes this important function to slow down, folks suffer nagging backache-feel misery. Minor bladder irritations due to cold or wrong diet may cause getting up nights or frequent passage. Don't neglect your kidneys. These conditions help you. Take Dore's Pills—grid diuretic. Used successfully by millions for over 50 years. It's amazing how many times Dore's give happy relief from these discomforts. Help the 15 miles of kidney tubules and filters flush out waste. Get Dore's Pills today!

## Editor is Fatally Stabbed by Wife Following Party

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — A newspaper editor was stabbed to death by his wife today in what police described as a "knock-down drag-out fight" that followed a Christmas party.

Julian T. Sullivan, 36, was stabbed in the chest with a paring knife. His wife, Betty, 36, was jailed on a preliminary charge of murder.

Sullivan was Sunday editor of the Indianapolis Star.

Police said Mrs. Sullivan admitted stabbing her husband with the three-inch-long knife blade during an argument after they arrived home about 2 a.m. from a Christmas party.

"He got a knife out of the kitchen drawer," police quoted her, "they grappled and 'next thing I knew there was a knife in his chest.'

She gave no reason for the argument.

The Sullivans' son, Gary, 2, was asleep in a nearby room during the stabbing.

### First Wedding Anniversary Of Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler

Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler, Rt. 1, Harrisburg, were married last December and on Dec. 5, their first wedding anniversary was observed with open house at their home in Dorris Heights. Several friends called to wish them happiness and they received several nice gifts.



CHRISTMAS DINNER, PARTY FOR LLOYD L. PARKER FURNITURE STORE EMPLOYEES—On the evening of Dec. 15 the Lloyd L. Parker Furniture store entertained employees at the Country club with a Christmas dinner and party. Seated from left to right: Mrs. Edith Fill, Mrs. Mary Wallace; Mrs. Dick Parker, Mrs. Lloyd L. Parker, Mrs. Grace Ozment; second row standing from left: Mrs. Barbara Fearholley, Mrs. Helen Hine, Art Weaver, Webb Dorris, John Alvey, Dick Parker, Lloyd L. Parker, Carl Shewmaker, Miss Margaret Robinson, Miss Trula Pemberton, Miss Louise Penrod, Miss Ruth Faye Bond, Mrs. Jane Dunn, Miss Lorene Dorris, Miss Margaret Robinson, Miss Trula Pemberton, Miss Louise Penrod, Miss Ruth Faye Bond, Mrs. Bea Moore and Bill Hawkins. (Foster Studio Photo)

### Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hall To Have Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hall of Dorris Heights are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 26, with open house at their home from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Friends are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robert Durham returned last night to their home in Chicago following a visit with his father, William Durham, and mother who is now at home after spending two weeks in the Weilborn Memorial hospital in Evansville, Ind.

Midway IOOF Lodge 942 will have a regular meeting Thursday at 7:30 p.m. with work in the second degree. Everett Estes, N. G.

To clean playing cards, apply spirits of camphor lightly with cotton, then wipe off and polish.

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## Social and Personal Items

### Beta Kappa Members Entertain Husbands With Buffet Supper

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brashears were host and hostess to Beta Kappa chapter of Beta Sigma Phi members and their husbands at their home Sunday evening, Dec. 18.

Their home was beautifully decorated with the Christmas season and a delicious buffet supper was served from a festive table. Favours were given to each member and small gifts were presented to their husbands at the table. Games were enjoyed by everyone present, and a prize awarded in one of the games was won by Joseph Gaul. Later in the evening, Cokes, cheese, and crackers were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gaul, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bottomley, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Keen, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gaskins, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Neihaus, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Slack, Mr. and Mrs. James Suver, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Coon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Podoroski, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Phelps, Mr. and Mrs. Glenda Dunbar, Miss Jeannette James, Roger Harris, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Brashears.

Refreshments of pumpkin chif

fen pie, coffee and candy were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Cummins.

Dorrisville Baptist Rainbow Workers Class Has Party

The regular meeting of the Beta Kappa chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was held in the country home of Mrs. Gene Neihaus, Monday evening, Dec. 20.

At the business meeting, it was decided to have the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Clayton Slack and also to continue to hold meetings at the home of members instead of the public library. Afterwards, Mrs. Neihaus gave an enlightening talk on the origin of Christmas customs.

Christmas carols were sung by the group after which Mystery Sisters were revealed by the gifts exchanged from under the beautifully decorated Christmas tree. The hostess served delicious cherry pudding and coffee to everyone present.

The following were present: Mrs. Marvin Barnett, Mrs. Ronald Coon, Mrs. Bob Gaskins, Mrs. Claud Phelps, Mrs. Sammy Porter, Mrs. Clayton Slack, Mrs. Charles D. Taylor, Mrs. Bill Brashears, Miss Jeannette James, Miss Margaret Toth, and the hostess, Mrs. Neihaus.

Presbyterian Fidelis Class Meets With Mrs. Nelle Meyers

The Fidelis class of the First Presbyterian church met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Nelle Meyers whose home was beautifully decorated with evergreens, poinsettias, colored lights and Christmas greeting cards.

Mrs. Meyers gave the devotion which was the impressive story of the birth of Christ.

The recreation consisted of "scrambled words" pertaining to the season and in drawing the picture of Santa Claus. Miss Julia Williamson won both prizes.

The exchange of gifts was made and special gifts were given to Mrs. Louis Gall Jr., teacher of the class, who in turn presented each member with a gift. Refreshments of cake, coffee and nuts were served.

Donations of food were brought to make up a basket for a needy person.

Present were Mrs. Walter Coulter, Mrs. Faye Mitchell, Mrs. Julia Furman, Mrs. Louis Gall Jr., Mrs. Pearl Thompson, Mrs. J. M. Burley, Miss Julia Williamson, Miss Edith Morrison, Mrs. Bess McCormack, Mrs. Suzanne Horvath, Mrs. Vernon Joyner and Miss Mary Jane Morrison.

Edgar and Laura Dixon of Ferndale, Wash., are visiting relatives and friends in Harrisburg, for the first time since 1937. Mr. Dixon is a brother to Clarence and Roy Dixon, Mrs. Matilda Ferrell and Margie Alexander, all of Harrisburg, and Mrs. Dixon is a sister to Will Moffett, Star Route, and Bert Moffett of Pontiac, Mich. They plan to be in Harrisburg for a week and would appreciate friends visiting with them at the home of Clarence Dixon.

Sue Disney, Henrietta Ratley and Larry Johnston.

For those who like fabric clothes, there is a special product for that must be hung up dripping, cleaning the inside of an automatic coffee maker—several in shower. One hooks on the rod fast. Do use one instead of a goes diagonally across the rod, will take the chrome off and leave a copper coat that gives coffee a funny taste.

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## (1) Notices

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**  
Estate of Orval Russell Barnfield, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Orval Russell Barnfield, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Saline County, at the Court House in Harrisburg, Illinois, on the 7th day of February A. D. 1955, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 9th day of December A. D. 1954.

**STELLA BARNFIELD**  
Administrator  
HARRY L. McCABE,  
Attorney for Administratrix,  
Harrisburg, Illinois. 138-

**NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE**  
In the Matter of the Estate of Charley Goodson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Charley Goodson, deceased, hereby gives notice that Monday, the 7th day of February, 1955, is the claim date for said Estate, and that all claims may be filed against the Estate of the said decedent, on or before said date without issuance of summons.

RALPH BEAN,  
Administrator.

ROBERT V. WILSON,  
Eldorado, Illinois,  
Attorney for Administrator. 144-

**NEW GIFTS AT EVITT'S GIFT SHOP IN PANKEYVILLE.** 139-

**In Remembrance**  
In loving memory of our darling husband and father, Mike Bennett, who departed this life, one year ago today, Dec. 23, 1953.

Dear Father, you are not forgotten.

Though on earth you are no more

Still in memory you are with us, As you always were before. Some day we will be together, In that Country "Over There." Where there'll be no tears and heartaches.

No goodbyes nor vacant chair. Yes, we'll be together.

On a fairer brighter shore And the circle reunited Will be broken never more.

Sadly missed by wife and children. 150-1

**SHOOTING MATCH, SUN. AFT.** SHOOTING MATCH, SUN. AFT. noon, and Christmas afternoon. F. McDermott. 145-

**MERCHANTS, CLUBS, FAMILIES** who plan dinner parties during the approaching Christmas season. Make your reservations now for club dinners, banquets and parties. Ph. 1577, U. S. 45 CAFE. 141-10

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**PARENTS** Make it a MERRIER CHRISTMAS for your children by having Santa Claus in person visit your home on Christmas Eve or on Christmas morning. Let our Santa deliver the presents that you have selected.

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**SANTY'S CAFE** Carrier Mills Will Be **CLOSED** Christmas Day and Sunday, Dec. 26

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## Report Renegade Troops Invade Indonesia Island

ROTTERDAM, Holland — Troops of the rebel "Republic of the South Moluccas" have invaded Amboina, an island of Indonesia, a spokesman for the South Moluccans reported today.

The spokesman said Moluccan forces had captured seven towns and reached the capital of Amboina, a 366-square-mile island midway between the Philippines and Australia.

He said the Moluccans were battling troops and planes of the Indonesian Republic.

Amboina formerly was a part of the Netherlands East Indies which gained its independence after World War II and became Indonesia.

A Dutch government spokesman in The Hague said any incidents at Amboina were a "purely internal matter of Indonesia."

Have you checked with your local appliance man about whether to distill water for use in the steam iron? It's a good idea to find out what his opinion of the regional water hardness is before you wreck a good appliance.

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Karel Capek, a Czech writer, first used the word "robot" in his plays to describe his mechanical characters without souls.

### (8) Found

#### (9) Miscellaneous

R E P A I R S ON TYPEWRITERS and Adding Machines, called for and delivered. CLINE W A D E Typewriter & Stationery Store, 404 E. Main St., West Frankfort, Ill. Ph. 444. 85-1

## Ex-Gov't Code Clerk Faces Prison, Fine

### (10) Instruction

## Markets

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Joseph S. Petersen Jr., the former government code clerk who pleaded guilty to spying for a foreign power, today faced a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison plus a \$10,000 fine.

Petersen, 40, was employed by the State Department as a code clerk in the top-secret National Security Agency until his arrest by the FBI last October. He had been in government service for 13 years.

The \$7,700-a-year code clerk pleaded guilty Wednesday in Federal Court in Alexandria, Va., to a charge that he used government secrets "in a manner prejudicial to the safety and interests of the United States."

The State Department disclosed that Petersen passed the information along to a man identified as

J. A. Verkuyl, a Netherlands civil servant and former officer in the Dutch army.

The Dutch government admitted it had exchanged "secret intelligence" with Petersen during and after World War II but was under the assumption that Petersen's superiors had authorized it.

The United States said it had "no reason to question the good faith" of the Dutch but added that Petersen's actions were "completely unauthorized and carried out under his own personal responsibility" in violation of U. S. law.

Federal Judge Albert Bryant set Jan. 4 for sentencing and continued two other counts of the three count indictment against Petersen.

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Dr. Donald R. Mallett, dean of men, ordered the house closed until the start of next semester, Feb. 3. He said he received reports of liquor being served at a fraternity dance Dec. 4.

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## Will Not Bargain With Red China, UN Chief Says

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (UPI)—U. S. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold planned today to leave for Peiping between Christmas and New Year's to seek freedom for 11 jailed U. S. airmen without begging for their release.

Hammarkjold made it clear on Wednesday night he would not bargain with the Red Chinese Premier Chou En-Lai on Red China's bid for a seat in the United Nations.

The secretary general said he would discuss two major issues under a mandate given him Dec. 10 by the U. N. General Assembly. They were:

1. The release of the 11 airmen jailed as spies and four other Americans later listed by the United States as being detained by the Peiping government in violation of the Korean armistice.

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If you wash baby in the sink, or let the kids do their before-dinner scrubbing there while you watch the pot, remember that you must scrub out the sink well between each transition from dish-tub to child-tub.

Varnished surfaces usually can be cleaned with a cloth dipped in cold, weak tea.

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Thursday, December 23, 1954

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## Family Passes Up Christmas to Make Merrier Future for Son and Brother

LA HARPE, Ill. (UPI)—The whole Myers family is passing up a big Christmas this year in an effort to make future Christmases merrier for their nearly blind son and brother, Gerald.

Gerald's father, Keith, drove the 200 miles to Chicago to bring his 15-year-old son home for the holidays.

As she waited for her husband and Gerald to arrive, Mrs. Myers said she had told her eight other children there won't be many presents for them because the family's money is being spent to try to restore Gerald's sight.

Mrs. Myers said her husband, a carpenter, has had less than five months' work in the past year. And a \$900 fund for Gerald is "getting pretty slim." The family has not received any other public or private aid, Mrs. Myers said.

"There'll Be Other Christmases"

Seven of the Myers children are younger than Gerald and will all be home to greet him when he arrives. The oldest of the children, a 17-year-old boy, has enlisted in the Army and is not expected to be home for the holidays.

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Illinois Education Association

**Tate Named to  
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SPRINGFIELD — The appointment of H. Clay Tate of Bloomington to the Illinois State Library Advisory Committee was announced today by State Librarian Charles F. Carpenter.

Tate is editor of the Bloomington Pantagraph.

Carpenter is state librarian as part of his duties as secretary of state.

Tate replaces Mrs. Florence Fifer Bohrer of Bloomington, who resigned from the committee. He will be citizen representative of library Region 3, an 18-county area in east-central Illinois. The appointment was for a six-year term beginning Jan. 1, 1955.

Dr. P. L. Windsor of Urbana committee chairman, was renamed as the librarian member from Region 3. He is the director-emeritus of the University of Illinois Library and Library School.

Curtis Wynn, Galesburg Public Library librarian, was reappointed librarian member from Region 4, a 21-county area; and Rev. Joseph T. Murray of Springfield Junior College was named citizen representative from this area.

Terms of other members did not expire this year, Carpenter said.

**Deadline Jan. 17  
For ACP Reports**

Monday, Jan. 17, is the final date for farmers to file reports on conservation practices carried out under the 1954 Agricultural Conservation program. This reminder was issued today by Paul B. Whitlock, chairman of the local ASC office.

It should be recognized, said Mr. Whitlock, that payments cannot be made for work accomplished unless this report is filed on time. It's a definite program requirement with which all cooperators must comply. The deadline for completing practices is December 31, 1954.

Most farmers, according to Mr. Whitlock, have already filed the necessary reports. He emphasized, however, that those who have neglected this matter should immediately contact the county office at city hall, Harrisburg. Weight tickets and cost evidence should be brought in.

**BRUSHY**

**Home Bureau Unit Meets With Mrs. Paul Roberts**

The Galatia Home Bureau unit met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Paul Roberts with 10 members answering roll call with "What I think it takes to make a nice Christmas at home." Most of the answers included presence of family and good health.

"Candle Making" and "Gift Wrapping" topics were given by Mrs. E. M. Cardwell and Miss Mary Margaret Small. They showed a great variety of Christmas candles and attractively wrapped packages demonstrating both subjects.

Margaret Hatcher, the vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. John Hill, who was at the hospital with her sick son.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Cardwell, served dainty refreshments.

The January meeting will be with Mrs. Hubert Bond. The Crafts club will meet Jan. 26.

**Christmas Party By Good Neighbor Club**

The Good Neighbor club held its December meeting at the home of Mrs. John C. Small Wednesday with potluck at noon and a Christmas party in the afternoon.

The recreation committee, Mrs. Paul Drotz, Mrs. A. P. Goller and Mrs. Clifford Hofford, conducted some quiz games. Mrs. Goller received the door prize and Christmas gifts were received from Sunshine friends and new names were drawn for 1955. All the members and one guest, Mrs. Mary Riegel, were present. Mrs. Riegel asked the blessing at the noon meal.

Mrs. Lee Allen led the group in singing Christmas carols and Mrs. Hofford led in prayer.

Family night was set for Jan. 8 and the group will go to the Lee Allen home for the regular January meeting.

A cash donation was voted each for Boys Town and the Salvation Army.

Chas. Lockwood spent the past week visiting his son, Leibren and family of Pontiac, Mich. Mrs. Lockwood was a Sunday dinner guest of the John C. Small family.

Mt. Moriah will have a Christmas program at its regular prayer meeting service Wednesday evening.

Rev. Irvin Braden conducted his regular devotional service at the Galatia rest home Sunday evening. The Knight family furnished the music.

Clifford Knight bought the Pleasant Valley school and will convert it into a residence.

Union Chapel held its Christmas program Sunday evening in the form of a play. Several special musical numbers and readings were given. The Sunday school held its gift exchange and treats were distributed by Santa Claus.

News of the birth Dec. 7 of a son, Richard Phillip, has been received from the parents, Capt. and Mrs. John Calvin Maple, who live in the Canal Zone in Panama, where Capt. Maple is in Army service. He is the son of Mrs. Jennie Small Maple of San Antonio, Texas, formerly of Saline county.

**Dual Claimants**

The canal lock, invented in 1481, made possible the building of modern canals. The lock made it possible for canals to run through land of various levels. Italy and Holland both claim to have been the site of the first canal lock.

# SEASON'S GREETINGS



OFFICE of the COUNTY JUDGE

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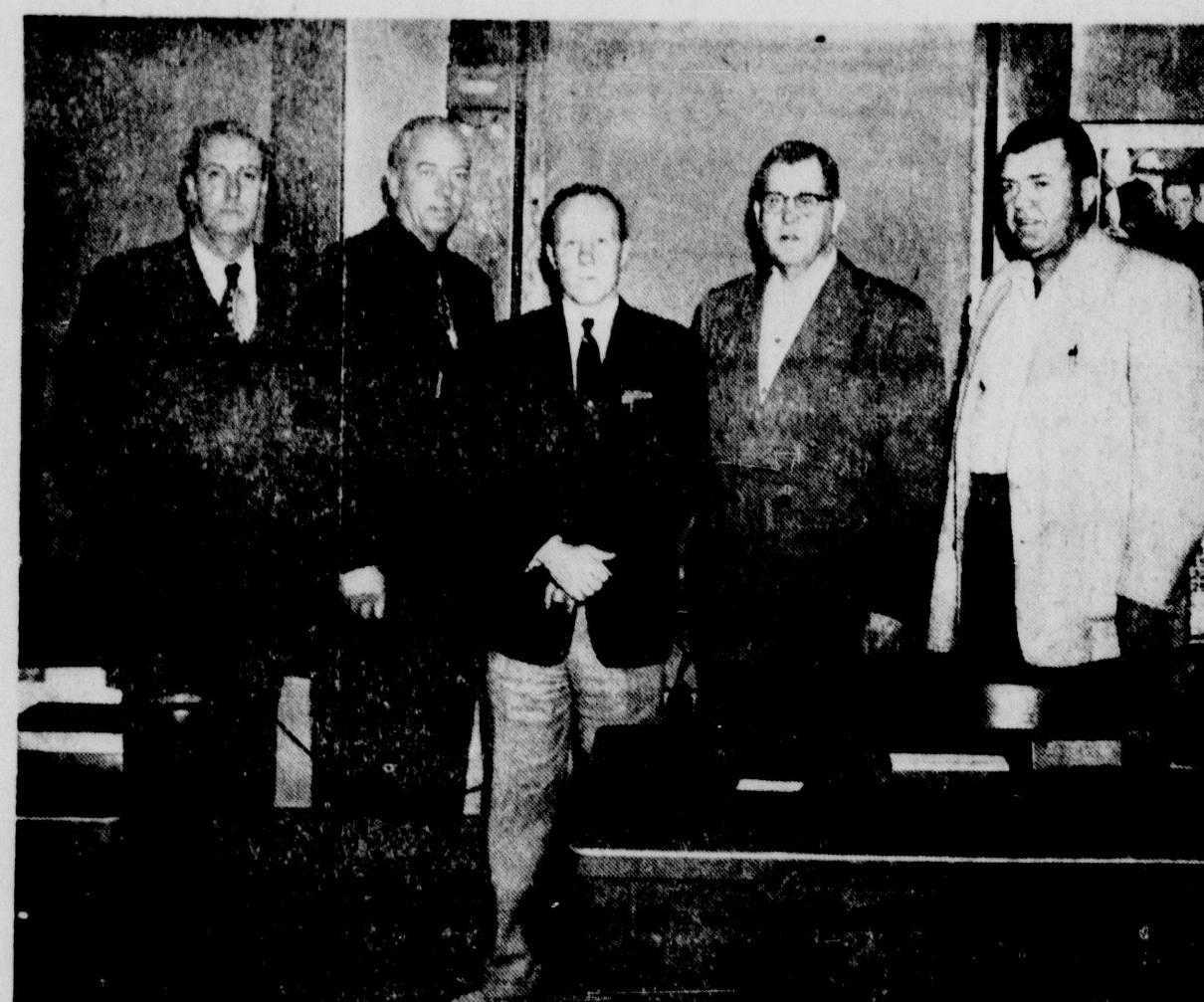


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# Your Saline County Officials

Kentucky Invitational  
Championship  
Kentucky 63, La Salle 54.  
Consolation  
Southern California 54, Utah 52.

All College Tournament  
Championship  
San Francisco 73, Geo. Washington  
77. Consolation

Houston 57, Oklahoma A&M 48.  
Wichita 82, Wyoming 74.  
Oklahoma City 73, Tulsa 68.

Loyola, La., 72, Illinois 66.  
Bradley 82, Southern Methodist  
73.

Butler 83, Northwestern 62.  
DePaul 76, Michigan State 75.  
Detroit 86, Oregon 74.

Brigham Young 70, Michigan 69.

UCLA 106, New Mexico 41.

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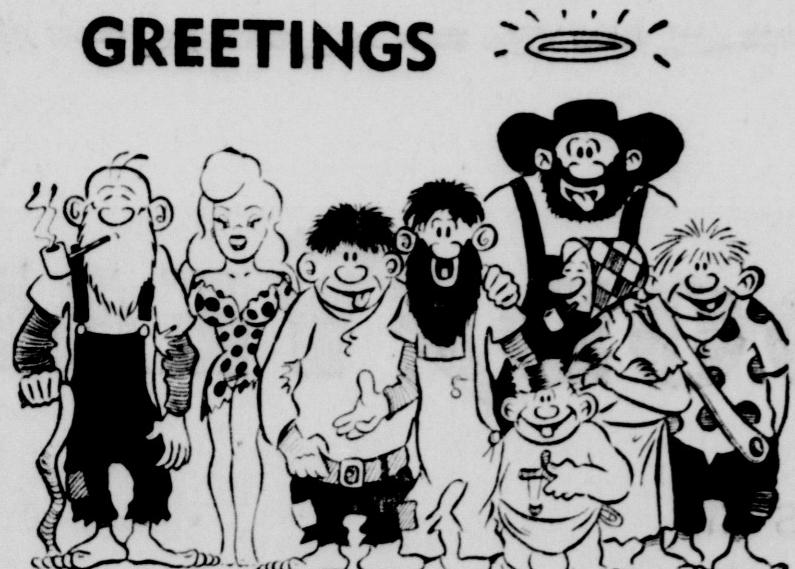
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# Eldorado and Metropolis To Clash Tonight for Tourney Championship

**Eagles Defeat  
Cairo; Anna Edged  
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difficult shot and with time practically up Humes broke under the basket for another goal and the winning points.

The final horn sounded as the basket was made. Humes fell as he shot and was flat on the floor as his winning basket dropped through the nets.

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Robinson's signing automatically lifts a suspension imposed by the Michigan Boxing Commission and supported by the National Boxing Association and the state of New York.

The MBC had slapped Robinson with the suspension earlier this month when he backed out of a Dec. 8 bout with Rindone.

The Wildeats' triumph Wednesday night in the final round of their own holiday tournament at Lexington, Ky., came on the same night that Illinois, ranked No. 1 nationally, was upset, 72-66, by Loyola A and M for seventh, 37-48.

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By United Press

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Wildcats are the best college basketball team in the nation, but a lot of folks disagreed with him in the wake of a stunning 63-54 victory over defending NCAA champion La Salle.

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# Chicago GOP Backs Merriman In Mayor Race

By Stan Musial Best

Defensive Outfielder, League Records Show

NEW YORK (UPI)—Stan Musial of the Cardinals, an old hand at winning batting honors, won a fielding distinction today when official National league averages revealed that he led all outfielders on defense in 1954.

Musial committed only three errors while handling 287 total chances for a .990 percentage. Closest outfielders to him were Frank Thomas of the Pirates with .989 and Gus Bell of the Redlegs with .986.

### Six Persons Burn To Death in Auto-Truck Crash

LAS CRUCES, N. M. (UPI)—Six persons, one of them a small child, were burned to death in the head-on collision of a car and a heavy truck near here early today.

The six victims were badly burned and State Police could not make immediate identification.

State Policeman Pete Horcasitas said the car in which all the victims were riding bore Texas license plates. The plates indicated the car was registered in the Big Spring, Tex., area.

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# Madness In The Spring

By Elmore Darriston

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Daggett's refusal to be shaved was a straw in the wind. He had a beard that rivaled Rex Stout's and which almost completely concealed his disfigurement. Rupert's small mustache burgeoned into a noble affair with long waxed points but he was too sophisticated to do justice to cowboy regalia.

"What you need," Daggett told him, "is to replace that modified boy scout suit with the kind of outfit that used to be worn by spiers at the old medicine shows." He fumbled about among a pile of old posters he had unearthed and dug out one that pictured a man in a high silk hat, tail coat, ruffled shirt, tight pants and thigh-length boots.

It was not until Greg made a hasty trip to the state capital to consult dignitaries about this revival of the Old West that the full extent of the collective illusion hit him. Even in Solomon's splendor Rupert could hardly have been conspicuous now. The town was plastered with posters, telling the people about Dead Man's Gulch. Pasty skinned men with concave chests and convex abdomens strutted along the street on the way to desk or counter in 10-gallon hats and chaps. The department store had replaced nylons and home permanents by riding boots and firearms. The general effect was mildly synthetic but the dream was there.

Greg encountered a young Indian college graduate and arranged to have him bring some members of his tribe to Dead Man's Gulch for the Grand Opening, to provide local color and at the same time pick up some money for themselves by taking orders for moccasins, doing dances, or selling picture postcards.

Only Kirby remained aloof. He did not offer to help with any of the dozen projects that were being carried on. He sauntered around, an occasionally amused, a more frequently bored spectator. Until, that is, he grew restless.

"So far as I can see," he complained to Hannah, "nothing has been done about telecasting the Grand Opening. No one has put the proposition up to Crain. I can't hang around indefinitely. In my job a man is forgotten too soon. I've got to stage a come-back and do it before long."

"Greg will take care of it," Hannah assured him.

"Maybe?" Kirby cocked an eye-brow at her.

"What do you mean by that?"

"The truth is," Kirby admitted,

**OUR MEN IN SERVICE**



SAMUEL DEE EWELL, son of the late Dee Ewell and Mrs. Mary A. Ewell of Galatia, has been appointed to the rank of staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force. Sgt. Ewell is now stationed at Sedalia AFB, Sedalia, Mo., a unit of the Strategic Air Command.

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as though surprised by himself, that what I care most about is being popular with you."

Hannah looked at him quickly, seeking for some indication that he was making fun of her.

"I've never known a girl like you before. I've been fighting clear of entanglements with women. But I'd like to marry you." He laughed with sudden gaiety as he saw her open-mouthed amazement. "And if I am going to support a wife," he went on more briskly, "I've got to get a new contract. If Seaver won't take steps I will."

"What can you do?"

"I have a bargaining point." As she did not understand he added, "Rupert Landusky."

He watched while Hannah ran out of doors and after a quick look around set off, skirts flying, hair shaking down around her neck, toward Greg who was supervising the unloading of dishes at the restaurant.

He was waiting quietly when Greg came striding up to him, wearing a bright flannel shirt and a brighter scarf knotted around his neck. Greg's hand shot out and gripped his arm.

"If you turn in Rupert," he said evenly, "I swear you'll get a press that will make you think you won a popularity contest when you were bounced out of your last job."

"What's Landusky to you?" Kirby exclaimed in irritation.

"He's a good guy. But even if he weren't I wouldn't let you get by with a thing like that. Rupert has my word that nothing is going to happen to him here."

"I couldn't care less."

Greg turned on his heel and Kirby, after a moment's reflection, went through the hotel to the first-floor bedroom where, for several days Daggett had, in his own words, "been taking things easy."

Daggett waved his good hand at a chair. When Kirby had seated himself he asked, "What's on your mind?"

"It's about the television program," he said. "So far as I can make out, Seaver hasn't taken a single step. By his own account, Crain takes him for a lightweight and, after all, I've had years of experience and a big name in radio."

Daggett cocked a sardonic eye-brow. "Your name at this moment is mud."

"I can't go through the rest of my life with amnesia," Kirby told him desperately. "You are holding a gun at my head. It might be wise to recall that I have some ammunition too."

"If you mean Rupert," Daggett said tranquilly, "you've got a blank cartridge. I've got friends in the State Department and I've put the matter up to them. After the Grand Opening Rupert is to leave the country and make a legal re-entry. As for your amnesia, it's in your own hands."

Kirby flung out his hands. "What do you want me to do?"

"Get in touch with Perkins' widow and see that she is provided with some means of support. I don't care whether you have to hamstring yourself for the rest of your life. But make it good."

"And then?" Kirby asked.

"And then," Daggett said, "we release our publicity."

(To Be Continued)

## Carrier Mills Register

Kenneth Hart  
Correspondent

### Sororial Club Has Annual Christmas Party

The Sororial Chic-Chis celebrated Christmas Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryant in Stonefort. Special guests were husbands of the members.

The Bryant home was beautifully decorated for the party, at which members surprised their husbands with gifts. Bingo and Christmas games were enjoyed, with prizes awarded to Bill Craig, Judy Smith, Georgia Butler, Ron Whiting, Wayne Butler, Bonnie Beggs, Twila Pritchett, Everett Bolin, Bob Bryant and Clyde O'Keefe.

A lovely hostess gift was presented to Mrs. Bryant, who also received a gift from her mystery pal.

Delicious refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, potato chips, Cokes and Christmas candies were served to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beggs, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Pritchett, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Durfee, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Whiting, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bolin, Mrs. Nellie Yocom and the host and hostess.

**Christmas Party at Carl Milburn Home**

A Christmas party was held Sunday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Milburn. A delicious barbecued ham supper was enjoyed by the group and gifts were exchanged around the beautifully decorated tree.

The remainder of the evening was spent watching television.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Pyle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fife, Mr. and Mrs. Don Pyle, Mr. and Mrs. Glendel Fife and Stevie, Mrs. Fannie Pyle, Mrs. Mary Milburn, Mary Aline Pyle, Shirley Pyle, Jerry Smith, Carol Ann Dunaway, Bob Allen, Karlene Sue Milburn, Janice Kay Milburn and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Milburn.

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## He Knows Angles

By Leslie Turner

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Co-pilot Robert P. Walker, Seattle, Wash.

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Cpl. Roy G. Phelps, 24, Mae, Wash.

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Crewman Charles Carter, 35, Tacoma, Wash.

Crewman Joseph Grekowicz, 26, Seattle, Wash.

## List Crewman,

## GIs Missing

## In Plane Crash

DRAVOSBURG, Pa. — The crewman and nine soldiers missing in the Dravosburg plane crash are:

Pilot Harold A. Poe, Seattle, Wash.

Pfc. Harry D. Moss, age and address unavailable.

Cpl. Robert F. Wilder.

Cpl. Lester W. Donahue.

Cpl. Elmer A. Diercks.

Cpl. Carl O. Thim.

Cpl. Joseph Selvaggio.

Cpl. Joseph R. Harkema.

Cpl. Donald T. Seitzinger.

Cpl. Bob D. Whipple.

Survivors, confined to Mc-

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Cpl. Robert Norgren, 24, Pueblo, Colo.

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